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TO: Governor Conrad W. Lucero  
FROM: Jim Olsen, Jr., P.E.-Reclamation Project Manager  
SUBJ: EXECUTIVE SUMMARY-June, 1990 Activities Report

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During the month of June, 1990, the following Jackpile Reclamation Project items were addressed:

I. OPERATIONS: Protore hauling in the North Pagate Pit area continued with both the scraper and truck fleets. Sloping work continued in the South Pagate (OP-34) and commenced in OP-35. Additional dozer work was requested and approved by Council on June 12, 1990. The demolition work is nearing completion and fencing work will likely begin in July. The cleanup around the old Quirk Loading dock was complete and the old trestle was dismantled. (Trestle and track repair at several locations would be required to use the spur again.) The new section of SR-279 remains closed. Detailed work package descriptions and status are contained in the Landmark/Weston Report #11.

II. FINANCIAL ITEMS: The Dean Witter Fund had a month-end value of \$16,837,470 based on a unit price of \$9.36/share, up 3 cents/share from May. Interest earned on this investment was \$128,000. The balance at the 1st National Bank was \$5,122,692.20 as of 6/29/90 according to Ann Loesee. The 2nd Quarter Project Financial Report was submitted to the BIA. A Cash Flow projection for the remainder of the 1st Operating Year was also developed and submitted for your review.



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III. ENGINEERING ITEMS: The BIA-Washington, D.C. Office formally approved the slope design and other changes giving the Project some additional flexibility in addressing the "special" cases requiring different solutions than those identified in the Record of Decision. An updated work package inventory is being developed to aid LCC in the planning process for the 2nd Year Operating Plan. Identification and quantification of the slopes requiring terraces is being provided with assistance from Roy F. Weston Engineering.

IV. OTHER ITEMS: Semi-annual water samples are being taken but some difficulties with Well #8 will require it be cleaned out before sampling. The weather station hardware has been set up but final turn-on is pending some training and the connection of the solar panel to the storage battery. Landmark performed a Health & Safety audit which will be distributed upon receipt of the final report. Periodic radiation checks on the heavy equipment and around the work site are showing no problems. The 2nd Quarter Environmental Monitoring and Regulatory Compliance update is being prepared and only lacks some lab results before distribution. It was learned that the EPA is soliciting comments on proposed regulations for uranium mines and copies will be reviewed.

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